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In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows. A marked up version of the amended claims, wherein deleted material is bracketed and added text is underlined, is provided in **Exhibit B**.

--54. (Amended) The transformed host cell of claim 47, wherein the DNA sequence encoding heavy chains has the DNA sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO: 4. --

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--55. (Amended) The transformed host cell of claim 47, wherein the DNA sequence encoding light chains has the DNA sequence set forth in SEQ ID NO: 6. --

REMARKS

In the Communication, the Examiner stated that the application failed to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR § 1.821 through § 1.824 for the reasons set forth in the Notice To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures ("Notice") attached to the Communication. Specifically the Communication and the Notice point out that Claims 54 and 55 refer to DNA sequences set forth in Figures 4 and 5 without providing sequence identifiers. Copies of the Communication and the Notice are enclosed as **Exhibit A**.

In response, the applicants have amended claims 54 and 55 to include the appropriate sequence identifiers. These amendments are believed to overcome the objection set forth in the

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Communication and the Notice. The Examiner is therefore respectfully requested to reconsider and withdraw these objections.

If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorneys invite the Examiner to telephone at the number provided below.

A fee of \$200.00 is due for the two month extension and a check for that amount is enclosed. No other fees are believed to be due for the filing of this amendment. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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Exhibit B

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Please amend the claims as follows:

--54. (Amended) The transformed host cell of claim 47, wherein the DNA sequence encoding heavy chains has the DNA sequence set forth in [Figure 4] SEQ ID NO: 4.--

--55. (Amended) The transformed host cell of claim 47, wherein the DNA sequence encoding light chains has the DNA sequence set forth in [Figure 5] SEQ ID NO: 6.--